

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

RLH Industries, Inc., )

vs.

Opposer,

Trans Continental Equipment Ltd..,

Applicant.

09-06-2002

U.S. Patent & TMOfc/TM Mali Ropt Ot. #79

Opposition No. 91151964 Serial No. 75/723671

Mark:

CHIMNEYFLEXIBLE LINERS

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## **ANSWER**

For its answer to the notice of opposition, Applicant, Trans Continental Equipment Ltd., states the following:

- 1. Applicant is without knowledge of information sufficient to admit or deny the allegations of  $\P$  1 of the notice of opposition and therefore denies same.
- 2. Applicant is without knowledge of information sufficient to admit or deny the allegations of ¶ 2 of the notice of opposition and therefore denies same.
- 3. Applicant is without knowledge of information sufficient to admit or deny the allegations of ¶ 3 of the notice of opposition and therefore denies same.
- 4. Applicant is without knowledge of information sufficient to admit or deny the allegations of ¶ 4 of the notice of opposition and therefore denies same.
- 5. Applicant admits that it has filed an application for the mark CHIMNEYFLEXIBLE LINERS for "DUCTS, HOSES, TUBING, PIPES, COLLARS AND COILS FOR HEATING, VENTILATION, AND AIR CONDITIONING, ALL

ENTIRELY OR PREDOMINANTLY OF METAL PROCESSES; PARTS FOR THE FOREGOING" in International Class 6. Applicant denied the remaining allegations of ¶ 5 of the notice of opposition.

6. Denied.

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- 7. Denied.
- 8. Denied

Applicant denies all allegations of the notice of opposition not expressly admitted above.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that the notice of opposition be dismissed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 6, 2002

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned, attorney for Applicant, hereby certifies that he served, by first class mail, postage prepaid, a copy of the foregoing ANSWER upon attorney of record for Opposer, John R. Benefiel, Esq., 280 Daines Street, Suite 100B, Birmingham, Michigan 48009, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2002.

Jacqueline Levasseur Patt